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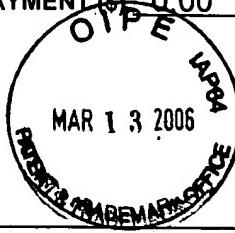
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Application No. 09/846,451
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 First Named Inventor Ming Duong-Van
 Examiner Name Horn, Shick C.
 Art Unit 2666
 Attorney Docket No. 3997P006



Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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1011	300	Utility application filing fee	
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1311	200	Utility examination fee	
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1012	200	Design application filing fee	
1112	100	Design search fee	
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1013	200	Plant filing fee	
1113	300	Plant search fee	
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1004	300	Reissue filing fee	
1114	500	Reissue search fee	
1314	600	Reissue examination fee	
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1005	200	Provisional application filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) \$ 0.00

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

		<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee from below</u>	<u>Fees Paid (\$)</u>
Total Claims	_____	- 20 or HP = _____	X _____	= _____
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20				
Independent Claims	_____	- 3 or HP = _____	X _____	= _____
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Multiple Dependent Claims			_____	= _____
Large Entity		Small Entity		
Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee	
Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)	<u>Fee Description</u>
1202	50	2202	25	Each claim over 20
1201	200	2201	100	Each independent claim over 3
1203	360	2203	180	Multiple dependent claims, if not paid
1204	200	2204	100	Reissue: each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent
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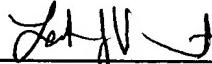
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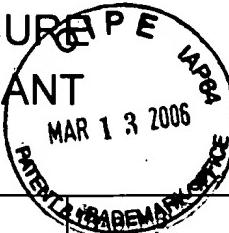
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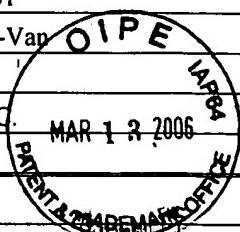
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